



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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Honorable Henry A. Waxman
2204 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

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Candidate ID Number: H6CA24048

Dear Mr. Waxman:

This letter constitutes formal written notification that the Congressman Waxman Campaign Committee is filing reports of receipts and disbursements (FEC FORM 3) that appear to be for the 1998 election.

A review of these reports indicates that your principal campaign committee has no debts from the previous election cycle, and has accepted contributions and/or made expenditures in support of your 1998 candidacy in excess of \$5,000, thus meeting the definition of "candidate" per Federal Election Campaign Laws. (See 2 U.S.C. §431(2))

You must either disavow these activities by notifying the Commission in writing that you are not a candidate, or redesignate your principal campaign committee by filing a Statement of Candidacy (FEC FORM 2) within thirty (30) days from the date of this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact Lisa Simpson in our Reports Analysis Division on the toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. Our local number is (202) 694-1130. An FEC FORM 2 is enclosed for your convenience.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Peter Kell Jr.".

Peter Kell Jr.
Chief, Authorized Branch
Reports Analysis Division

Enclosure